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Anent Stollen goods in the HIE-LANDS.

Edinburgh the 13. *Day of February*, 1673.

FOraſmuch as the Lords of His *Majeſties* Privy Council have granted Commiſſion to Sir *James Campbell* of *Lawyers*, until the firſt day of *January* next to come; To purſue, apprehend and bring to juſtice all Thieves, and broken men, haunting and reſorting within the Shires of *Innerneſs*, on the ſouth ſide of *Neſs*, *Nairn*, *Murray*, *Bamff*, *Aberdene*, *Mearns*, *Angus*, *Perth*, *Argyle*, [illegible]*mannan*, *Monteith*, *Stirling*, and *Dumbarton*: By accepting of which Commiſſion the ſaid Sir *James Campbel* is oblidged, when any Theft is committed within the ſaids Shires, Either to reſtore the goods, or the true pryces thereof, without payment of money, or compoſition, or otherwiſe to apprehend the Thieves, and bring them to Juſtice; Provyding, that within five days after the Committing of the Theft, intimation thereof be given to the ſaid Sir *James* himſelf, or at the Town of *Dumblane* to *Alexander Cheiſlie* Baillie thereof; at *Perth* to *John Stewart* Merchant Burgeſs there; at *Straphillan*, to *Duncan Campbel* in *Auchtertyre*; at *Caſtletoun* of brae of *Marr*, to *John M'keinzie* in *Caſtletoun*; and at *Ruthven* of *Badzenoch*, to *Thomas M'pherſon* in *Kyllie Huntlie*; or to *David Cumming* nottar at *Ruthven* of *Badzenoch*; Or at the ſaids Perſons their dwelling houſes, in the ſaids places, who are appointed to remain there to receive intimations. Theſe are therefore to give Advertiſement to all Perſons Concerned, That, when any Theft happens to be committed within the bounds abovewritten, they may give tymous notice thereof as aforeſaid: Likeas all Landlords, Chiefs of Clans, and others, His *Majeſties* Subjects, are to concur with the ſaid Sir *James Campbel* in the execution of the ſaid Commiſſion, which is granted but Prejudice or Derogation, in any ſort, from the Bands given for ſecuring of the Peace. And it is ordered that theſe Preſents be Printed; And that the Sheriffs of the ſeveral Shires foreſaids cauſe Publiſh the ſame at the ſeveral Market Croſſes and Pariſh Kirks within theſe Shires, that all Perſons Concerned may have notice.

A. Gibſon, Cl. S^ti. Conſilii.